GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Gram Panchayats - Appeal petition filed by Sri. V. Mallesh, Sarpanch, (Removed) Thurkapally Gram Panchayat, Shamirpet Mandal of Rangareddy District - Against proceedings of District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy District - Allowed - Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PTS.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.NO. 262 Dated :22- 02-2011.

Read the following:-

1) From the District Collector (PW), Rangareddy District, Proceedings No.482/2009-B2(Pts.) dated 19.05.2010.

- **2)** Appeal petition received from Sri.V.Mallesh, Sarpanch, Thurkapally Gram Panchayat, Shamirpet Mandal of Rangareddy District, dt.20.05.2010.
- 3) Govt.Memo No.12495/Pts.II/A2/2010-1, dated 02.06.2010.
- **4)** From the District Collector (PW), Rangareddy District, Roc. No.482/2009-B2(Pts.) dated 13.08.2010.
- 5) The Hon'ble High Court of A.P. W.P.No. 19772/2010, dt. 12.08.2010.
- **6)** The Deputy Registrar, Institution of A.P. Lokyuktha, Lr.Dis.No. 1367/B1/Lok/3044/2010, dt. 05.10.2010.
- **7)** From the District Collector (PW), Rangareddy District, Roc. No.482/2009-B2(Pts.) dated 8-11-.2010.
- 8) Govt.Memo.No.12495/ Pts.II/A2/2010-4, dated 11.11.2010.
- 9) The Deputy Registrar, Institution of A.P. Lokyuktha, Lr.Dis.No. 1367/B1/Lok/91/2010, dt. 06.01.2011.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, the District Collector (PW), Rangareddy District has removed Sri. V.Mallesh from the post of Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat Turkapally of Shamirpet Mandal of Rangareddy District u/s 249 (1) and 265 of APPR Act 1994 for misuse of powers and misappropriation of Gram Panchayat funds to a tune of 24,82,192/- and also issued recover orders therein.

- 2. Aggrieved by the above orders, in the reference 2nd read above, Sri.V.Mallesh, Sarpanch (Removed),Thurkapally Gram Panchayat, Shamirpet Mandal of Rangareddy District has filed an appeal petition before the Government and requested to suspend the orders passed by the District Collector (PW), Rangareddy District.
- 3. In the reference 3rd read above, Government while granting stay against the orders of the District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy District has directed to the District Collector to divest the cheque drawing powers of Sarpanch and submit his parawise remarks to the Government immediately for taking further action.
- 4. In the reference 4th read above, the District Collector (PW), Rangareddy District has reported that Sri Oradi Venkatesh and others have made complaint against the Sarpanch and requested to take necessary action in the matter. Based on the complaint, the District Panchayat Officer, Ranga Reddy District has directed to the Divisional Panchayat Officer (East) and extension Officer (PR &RD) to submit his detailed enquiry report on the allegations levelled against the Sarpanch. The Divisional Panchayat Officer has submitted his report, and a show cause notice was issued to the Sarpanch calling his explanation within 15 days. After granting another time Sri.V.Mallesh, Sarpanch, Thurkapally Gram Panchayat, Shamirpet Mandal of

Ranga Reddy District was removed from the Post of Sarpanch since neither submitted his replies to the show cause notice nor remitted the said misused amount of Rs. 24,82,92/- of Gram Panchayat funds.

- 5) In the reference 5th read above the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. has directed to the Government the appeal shall be disposed of as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of two months on WP filed by R. Murthi and others.
- 6) In the reference 6th read above Sri. O.Venkatesh, Turkapally have made a complaint before Institution of Andhra Pradesh Lokayukta and the Deputy Registrar has directed to the Government to submit a report by the next date of hearing i.e 24-11-2010.
- 7) The case was heard on 29-10-2010 and during the hearing it has directed to the District Panchayat Officer, Ranga Reddy District to verify the records and bills and send his report before the date of hearing by adjourning the case to 23-11-2010. The Sarpanch has been directed to produce the registers and bills before District Panchayat Officer for verification within 15 days, failing which the stay will be vacated.
- 8). The case was again heard on 29-01-11. The Sarpanch and his counsel and District Panchayat Officer have attended the hearing and as per the statement given by the District Panchayat Officer, Ranga Reddy District, it is observed that the Sarpanch has remitted the alleged misappropriation amount to the Gram Panchayat by way of challans on 28.10.2010 and the remaining allegations are pertain to actual work done, but required permissions were not obtained.
- 9) The Government after careful examination of the matter and material available in the records. The Appeal Petition filed by Sri.V.Mallesh, Sarpanch (Removed), Thurkapally Gram Panchayat, Shamirpet Mandal Rangareddy District is allowed by set aside of the orders issued by the District Collector vide reference 1st read above and advised to obtain the required permissions for the works done from the District Collector.
- 10) The District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy District shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. RAJIV SHARMA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The District Collector (PW), Rangareddy District.

The District Panchayat Officer, Rangareddy District.

The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, AP., Hyderabad.

Copy to:

Sri.V.Mallesh, Sarpanch, Turkapally Gram Panchayat, Shamirpet (M)

Ranga Reddy District.

The Deputy Registrar, Institution of A.P. Lokyuktha,

Basheerbagh, Hyderabad.

P.S. to Minister (PR)

P.S. to Secretary to Government (PR)

The Govt. Pleader for PR&RD, AP High Court, Hyderabad SF/Scs.

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